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SUICIDE WAS IN HIS MIND.

TRAGIZDIAN O'CONNOR'S DEBUT HERE MADE HIM VERY TIRED.

He Would Have Taken Some Drug Only for His Religion-But Now the Stage Hands Toll He Will Rival Keene-Have Barrett and Booth Subsidized Press and Publict-He Will be Married on Monday.

Tragedian James Owen O'Connor's wedding with his betrothed, "Miss Bergman, formerly Mrs, Huebner," as he speaks of her, was not solemnized this morning. The lady left the Allman Youse and her prospective husband at 9.30 this morning to go to Hoboken, there to make arrangements for the ceremony, which will be performed by Mayor Kerr, of that city, on Monday morning next, between the hours of 10 and 12.

By-by , dearie!" was the fond tragedian't parting calute as his blonde bride-to-be made her exi's, and then he turned his attention to THE FEVENING WORLD reporter who had called a moment before.

Sould the crowds who have amused themcolves at his performances throughout the week at the Star Theatre have seen him durweek at the Star Theatre have seen him during that short interview they would have witnessed an exhibition of feeing of which they had not deemed O'Connor capable.

It was not acting, apparently, but came from the heart, and the uncouth gestures which have excited ridicule in his auditoragive increase to its strength.

Tears came to his eyes as he referred to the adverse criticisms. Then he apostrophized the critics and asked them to mould, not accept, public opinion.

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This tearful appeal was followed by a note of triumph:

"I had a splendid house last night—club men—the dilet art; and they were sympathetic, Nine curtain calls. I'll win them yet. The stage hands tell me so. They tell sme I rival Keene."

Again the distressful minor: "Why does the press persecute me? Tuesday morning I felt like taking my life with chloral or some other drug and—look you!—if it had not been for my religion I'd have done it. Oh, the press! Will it not have pity? It will kill me yet."

Anger succeeded, and the tragedian's eyes

kill me yet."

Ang.r succeeded, and the tragedian's eyes flashed as he said: "They tell me that rival tragedians have subsidized press and public to ruin me. Lawrence Barrett—Larry Brannigan, the ex-waiter, of Detroit—and Edwin Booth. I used to worship at the shrine of Booth, but since I saw Ned Bulkley outshine him at the Academy of Music—But I'll triumph over all obstacles yet."

Mr. O'Connor confided to the reporter that he is writing an essay on "The Art of Acting," which will work a revolution of feeling in his favor. He also stated that he was having a lively time "scratching for money" to pay salaries, and, having recovered his equanimity after his outburst against press, public and rival tragedians, he bade The Evening World young man good-day.

DISASTROUS FIRE AT HAVERILL. Many Business Firms Burned Out-Les About \$50,000.

[SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.] HAVERILL, Mass., April 14.-A fire broke out about about 1 o'clock this morning in the shoe factory of Harold F. Blake on Washington street.

The flames spread with frightful rapidity. The people occupying the tenement houses rear had barely time to escape with their lives.

About 1.30 the front of the building occupied by the Daily Laborer fell, covering the lines of hose in the ruins.

At 2.30 word was received in Boston from the Havernill Chief of Police that the fire was under control, and that the loss would

not exceed \$50,000.

The following firms were burned out: Geo.
H. Mansur, hay, straw and grain: loss about
\$10,000: O D. Foster, shoemanufacturer;
John Manderville, job printer, loss about
\$8,000: Laborer Publishing Company, loss
\$10,000: Mrs. King, dwelling-house, \$5,000.

The buildings were owned principally by
Charles Goodwingand A. J. Tilton, and are
probably fully insured. Beyond two or
three slight accidents no one was injured, as
far as could be learned.

Homoopathic College Commencement. The commencement exercises of the New York Romœopathic Medical College were held at Chickering Hall yesterday afternoon. Mr. Salem H. Wales, President of the Board of Trustees, was to have conferred the degre s., but was unable to do so, owing to sickness. Judge cowing efficiated in his place. The introductory address was delivered by Prof. T. F. Allen, M.D., IL. D. The presentation of prizes was conducted by Prof. M leoim Leal, M.D., Pre-lient of the Faculty, and the class valed ctory was delivered by J. T. W. Kastentieck, M.D. The apecial prizes were awarded as follows: Frat Faculty prize, T. W. Hamlin, of New York Chy; the second Faculty prize, E. B. Smith, of New Haven, Conn., and the Juni's or Wales prize to Paul Allen. There were forty-seven graduates. Prominent among those on the platform was F. F. Allen. omœopathic Medical College were held at Chicker-

McCullough's Son Calls it a Carlcature.

PHILADELPHIA. Pa., April 14.—The postponed hearing of Sculptor F. W. Liscoln's claim to renearing of Scuiptor F. W. Lincoln's claim to re-cover \$500 from the estate of John McCuilough, for a bust said to have been ordered by the dead tragedian, was held before Judge Ferguson, in the Orphans' Court, be-day. Jas. McCuilough, son of the actor, teatified that the piece of statuary on which the claim was based was not a likeness, but a caricature of his father. The slieged order given by Mr. McCuilough to Sculptor Lincoln to have a bust of himself made in the character of Virginius was put in evid noe. A decision will be given when an adjid cation of the account of the aumin-listrators is slied.

New York Markets.

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WHEAT.—May wheat opened Mo. above last night's closing quotation, at 924c. The market was strong and the price advanced to 92kc.

COTTON.—Futures 'eclined from 1 to 2 points over night, as follows: April, 9.50; May, 9.59; June, 9.71; July, 9.75; Aug., 9.84; Sept., 9.61; Oct., 9.40; Nov., 2.31; Dec., 9.88; Jan., 9.38, Market steady. Oct., 9.40; Nov., 2.21; Market steady. Copper. — Hamburg and Havre markets quiet. The opening quo ations were: April, 11, 15; May 11, 10; June, 10, 20; Juny, 10, 40; Aug., 10, 15; Sept., 10c.; Oct., 10, 05, Nov., Dec., Jan., 10c.; Feb.; March, 10, 05,

March, 10.0s.

PETROLEUM.—Pipe Line certificates opened at
80%—an advance of % over last night's closing
quotations. The market was strone, and just before noon petroleum advanced to 81%.

WE ought not to be too anxious to encourage untried innovation in case of doubtful improvement. For a quarter of a century DE. SAGE'S UATARNE REMEMBED has been be fore the public and passed through the severest test, and is pronounced the most reliable rementy for that disagreeable malady. Thousands of estimonals of its virtues. 50 cents per bottle. By druggists.

STILL IN A DUNGEON CELL.

un O'Della Advised in Rhyme to Induce the

Ann O'Delia Diss Debar appears to have ypnotized Matron McAuliffe, of the Tombs. She has worked upon that good lady's sympathies to such an extent that she is now allowed to leave her narrow cell and spend her time in the spacious dining-room of the female prison.

An Evening World reporter saw her sitting there this morning, but the fat medium waved him away and refused to speak a sin-

gle word.

A late breakfast of ample proportions was spread before her on the table, and she seemed to be having a good time.

Lawyer Marsh is bestirring himself to get the m dame and her accomplices out of the Tomba. He and two other elderly gentlemen were at Lawyer John D. Townsend's office early this morning in earnest consultation about the case. It is intended to offer bail to-day and also to issue a statement to the pub ic in defense of Ann O'Delia.

Mr. Marsh appeared to be much worried. He said:

He said:

"It is very rough on my friends to keep them in that wretched Tombs. For the Lawrences especially it is a very great hardship, as they had only a casual connection with this business."

Mr. Marsh told his friend. Mr. Newton, in Lawyer Townsend's office, that he should see that suitable preparations were made for the defense, but that he must keep in the background as much as possible.

"I must keep aloof, you know. I occupy a higher plane than these people, after all, and the proprieties must be preserved."

These lines were left at the Tombs this morning:

Ann O'Delta, poor, dear Ann, Get from prison if you can. Why not induce a ghost or two To unlock the doors for you.

GOOD BEER RUNS TO WASTE,

The Thirsty Park Row Pavement Deluged With Cool Lager.

A bottled-beer wagon came to grief this morning in Park row opposite the Post-Office. One of the yellow wheels came off and the wagon tilted over and distributed its perishable goods on the paving. There was

perishable goods on the paving. There was a crash of glass and the beer poured out on the granite blocks with a merry effervescence, as if it were laughing at the very "bad break" the bottles had made.

The young man in a blouse who had engineered the overthrow gathered up any bottles that had escaped and mournfully replaced them in their boxes, while a gradually lengthening queue of surface cars stopped and the drivers unlimbered their tongues in sympathy for the waste of good beer and pleavant words of encouragement to the young man, who was fishing out the whole bottles.

Told Among Workingmen. The Central Labor Union meets to-morrow after oon in Clarendon Hall. The Custom Varcisbers' Union sent delegates to the Furniture Workers Section inst night.

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Progressive Painters' Union No. 3 has voted against the withdrawal of the Building Trades Section from the Central Labor Union.

Delegate Humann of the Commission Section Se

Delegate Housman, of the Custom Varnishers' Union, occupied the chair at the meeting of the Furniture Workers' Section last night. Lodge No. 4, of the United Order of American Carpen ers and Joiners, and the German Fresco Painters' Union sent delegates to the Building Trades Section isst night.

Mesars. Schaeffer and O'Neill were elected as members of the Organization Committee of the Building Trades Section last night, to fill vacandes caused by resignations.

A report has been received here by the National Assembly No. 210 of Interior Decorators that the painters of Troy will resist a change from the eight-bour rule to that of the nine-hour working District Assembly 49 gives another concert to-

Carl Sahm Orchestra of twenty pieces, the e will be a good performance rendered by protess onal talent.

Delegate McGarney, of the Woodpeckers' Association, was Chairman of the meeting of the Building Tr. dis Section last night. Delegate Kimmitte, of Progressive Painters' Union No. 6, was Vice-Chairman. Several p inters who were formerly attached to Progressive Painters' Union No. 3 have been reported as acade who are employed by Walter Scott, of Hariem. Their cases have been referred to the Central Labor Union.

Messra. Smith and O'Neill, of the Progressaive Varnishers' Union No. 3, and Mr. Kutcher, of the German Fresco Painters' Union, have been elected delegates to the Central Labor Union from the Bulluing Trades Section.

The Electric House Wiremen's Union sent word to the Budding Trades Section last night that it was in favor of the withdrawing from the Central Labor Union provided the majority of the other Unions represented in the Section also voted favor-Unions represented

any to withdrawal.

Differences between the Woodpeckers' Association of m conine woodworkers and Machine Woodwork rs' Union No. 19 regarding membership and the mutual recognition of cards have been referred by the Building Trades Section to a special com-

Mr. Trelear a Prolific Letter-Writer. Joseph Treloar, who was dismissed on Thursday by Collector Magone from his position as chief o the correspondedce bureau in the Custom House. reves to be a prolific letter-writer. In addition to his letter to the Collector, in which he refused to to his letter to the Collector, in which he refused to resum, there was yesterday made public a long letter from him to Collector Magone dated March 30, in which he arrays himself against the policy of the Collector in cutting down the force of employees. Not content with really dispuring with his superior, he argues with him in writing, and attempts to mark out a line of action entirely at variance with the policy proposed. In this letter, after declaring that the daily business must go on, he coolly writes to his chief. e coolly writes to his chief:

In fact, I fail to see how any part of the clerical work can be suspended, for if one part moves the others max. Whother or not the force in the several divisions can, with due, regard to the public welfare, be reduced, those in charge thereof are best qualified to report. those in charge thereof are cost quanten to report.

He then tells of the policy that has been pursued in former in-tances where the appropriation can suort, and winds up in a remark-ble peragraph to the effect that "he fails to see how the clerical force in his department can be reduced," And yet force in his department can be reduced." An he wonders way he was called upon to resign.

The Brutal Holong Hanged.

[SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.]
FREGUS FALLS, Minn., April 14.—Nels Olson Holong was hanged here to-day for the murder of year. Holong was working on Miss Field's father's farm. One day her rarents went away and Holong, etting Miss Fell's brother to go away a so, or-sanited the girl, killed her afterwards and then gave her body to the holos. When her parents found the body next day it was terribly mu hated by the swine. Holong was suspected, tried and convicted. An effort was made to secure his pardou on the ground of insanity, but he was pronounced sane after a careful examination by experts. year. Holong was working on Miss Field's father's

Wild and Brave American Boys. describes the adventures of three Texan cowboys on the staff of Gen. Skobeleff during the late was between Russia and Turker, is one of the most inruiting and rom oric stories ever publis ed. It is be un in number thintens of the New York MR. GILLIG OFF FOR EUROPE.

HIS COUNSEL SAYS HE IS A PASSENGER ON THE CUNARDER ETRURIA.

Recalled to London to Tell About the Af fairs of the American Exchange-The Prospect for Holders of Letters of Credit
-Assignee Buone Receives a Valuable Mail and Hopes to Pay All Debts in Full.

William Nelson Cromwell, counsel for Henry F. Gillig, the ex-Manager of the American Exchange (limited), which yesterday passed into the hands of a receiver, said to-day that Mr. Gillig was a passenger on the Cunarder Etruria which sailed for Europe at

Mr. Gillig was closeted with Mr. Cromwell at his office until after midnight, going over the affairs of the company. Mr. Gillig had received during the afternoon a cable despatch from the connsel of the company in London requesting his appearance at the earliest possible moment before the meeting of the creditors to be held there, in order that his statement might appear in the report which would be made for the provisional

liquidation of the company. Mr. Gillig, Mr. Cromwell said, wanted to remain here until next Tuesday, but, by his counsel's advice, he decided to sail this

Dr. W. C. Boone, who was appointed receiver yesterday at the instance of Mr.Gillig,

ceiver yesterday at the instance of Mr.Gillig, made his appearance at the office of the company early this morning.

To a reporter of The Evening World he said: "If these I sters which I am opening had come yesterday the catastrophe in Loudon might have been averted. Our mail yesterday contained \$6,000 in remittances and checks, and the which I am opening this morning contains at I ast \$25,000, all of which will go ack to London, Monday's mail will be larger still.

"I have not been connected with the Exchange except as a stockholder for two years past, and can give no definite information as to the liabilities and assets. Of course, the former are large, but so are the latter. Mr.Gillig told me he would pay dollar for dollar.

"Mr. Gillig has a large and profitable business, but in one way or another has contracted bad debts, and these have temporarily embarrassed him. I think he will weather it, however."

embarrassed him. I think he will weather it, however."

"Is it true that the failure of influential persons, who had promised to assist Mr. Gillig, to carry out their agreement has caused the failure?"

"I know that Mr. Gillig had an underderstanding with Mr. Hazard, of the American Loan and Trust Company, by which Mr. Hazard agreed to make some advances under certain conditions, but I cannot say anything about it now. It will all come out later."

"How about travellers in Europe who hold letters of credit from the Exchange?"

"Oh, they will be subjected only to temporary inconvenience, for most of the clients of the Exchange held guaranteed credits, on which no money was put up, and the only inconvenience they will suffer will be from delay in getting their credit transferred. Most people who are in Europe are not down to bed-rock, and the cost of a cable home will be all that is necessary to arrange matters, and they will suffer no loss.

Mr. Cromwell said that the number of cash

suffer no loss.

Mr. Cromwell said that the number of cash credits out at the present time was compara-tively small, because of the apparent insc-curity of the financial situation of the past

two months.

From another source, however, an EvenIng Woallo reporter was informed that the
number of holders of small cash credits was
very large, and that many of those who were
travelling in out-of-the-way parts, not only
of Europe, but of other continents, would be
the createst sufferers.

In fact, they would be absolutely stranded
unless they had friends to help them out.

cash credits are issued. Just how many persons may be placed in the unfortunate position referred to could not be learned at the office of the company.

Mr. Gillig's name does not appear on the

Etruria's passenger list.

Must the Members Testify ? Whether or not witnesses belonging to a secret ociety may be compelled to divulge the proceed ings of such an organization is a question which when the case of Sulivan against Sulivan comes before him in the Supreme Court. The intigation grew out of a row in a meeting of the Andi-ni Order of Hibernians last November, where Cornelius and Mortimer bullivan, two of the members, who are not related to each other, became involved in a hot discussion and Mortimer called Cornelius 'a a nurvierer,' because the latter hai testified against his brother, who was tried for killing a man in Ireland in 1863. Suit for \$5,000 damages was begun, and when the case was called for trial a few days ago the members of the order claimed that they could not testify whether or not the epithet was used not concerning anything that took place in the meeting. when the case of Sullivan against Sullivan comes

All six Have Trichiniasis.

[SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.]
RIDGEVILLE, Ind., April 14.—The family of John Green, of this place, consisting of himself, wife, three daughters and two sons, have been suffering from trichintasis since Easter Monday. Mrs. Green is dead and her three daughters are expected to die. The father and sons, possibly, may recover. They ate raw smoked bacon.

Beer at a "Bennery."

James Welch, a sixteen-year-old errand boy, employed by Henry Klun & Co., wholestie drug gists of 44 Cor:landt street, was taken to the Chamber's Street Hospital last night suffering from sico-holism. According to several of his fellow em-ployes he had drank seviral schooners of beer at a 'n ceanery" where he had lunch and where beer is sold to minors.

Four Deaths Caused by a Cow. BIRMINGHAM, Als., April 14. - A construction train on the Tensas City, Memphis & Birmingham Railroad was wrecked sixty miles west of here las evening. Four workmen were killed, one is jured fatally and nine others seriously hurt. The train was backing at a high rate of speed and struck a cow and was ditched.

NEWS SUMMARY.

Emperor Frederick drives to Berlin. Russia is negotiating for a big loan from France The great Method at jubilee closes with a record

f 1,100 souls saved. Trage in n O'Conor says he will found a Home for Actors in Harlem. The French Government is becoming alarmed at

The King of Sweden has been added to the list of royal personages now visiting Fiorence.

Antonio Galindes, a wealthy Cuban, is kidnapped by bandits and pays \$40,000 ransom. A billy-goat gets into the Argentine (Mo.) Coun-cil Chamber and devours all the sity records. Bessie Hillyer-Bulkley, the heroine of the Wagh-ngton clope: eat sen-ation of December list, commits suicide by taking poison.

The Favorite Game of Croquet. Fine Choquer SE1s, with Short Ma lets and all the modern features, at SPALDINGS, 241 B'way. "."



MOVEMENTS OF THE BOODLERS. Lacy Has Probably Left Montreal for

(SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.) Lacy has left Montreal apparently for good, as Tim Works announced exclusively yesterday moining. There are many strange dreumstances attending his sudden departure. The next morn-WORLD correspondent saw De Lacy leave. He has blocks away from the house where John Keenan, king of the exile colony, resides. This is a twostory, French-roof, stone house, with a wooden stoop, storm door and wooden plazza. To-day the

Good-In Billy Moloney There?

king of the exile colony, resides. This is a twostory, French-roof, stone house, with a wooden
toop, storm door and wooden plazza. To-day the
house was deserted, and the name of the boodler
on the door-plate was gone.

A Workle correspondent made inquiries at the
neighboring nouses and learned that De Lacy left
early Wednesday morning. At 350 octook Last
feeling and the name of the boodler
afternoon a carriage drove to the house and Mrs.
De Lacy entered it. The cab man brought
out a trunk and drove down Mackey street
to the Grand Trunk Depot. This trunk
was seen by The Workle correspondent
when it was being examined by the Custom-House
officer, and was watched until it was put on the
4.20 Delaware and Hudson express checked
through to New York. The trunk had the name
''S. A. De Lacy," and on an old Dood's Express
trans er card was the address, 'X. F. De Lacy, 19
Avenue D. Feb. 5. 1883." The boodler's name is
H. F. De Lacy, and it is probable that the first initial on the express tag was meant for an 'H."

The significant fact that the boodler should leave
on an 'ally morning train, which is a Chacage express by way of Toronio, and be followed by his
wife on a New York express train, id cates that
De Lacey hal a reason for travelling as he did. By
leaving the Calcage express train, id cates that
De Lacey hal a reason for travelling as he did. By
leaving the Calcage express at Toronto as could
make connection as Boffsio and reach New York
('it') by either of severall roads. De Lacey knew also
that a World corresponent was watching all regullar trains to and from New York. The first susplicion
that the exiles had that De Lacey's departure was
known was when The World arrived here with
the announcement. Immediately after this a detective was engaged to shadow The World
correspondent, and the latter was followed all last
ing it and all day to-day. Dempsey and Sayles
spent the greater part of last evening and several
hours to-day that should be sent, and in such as
ing it and all day to-day. Dempsey and say

THEY WON'T DIE JUST YET.

The Dreadful Fate of the Brunswick Bowling Club Postponed.

The Brunswick Bowling Club, of Yorkville, did not conquer the Bachelors, of Harlem, Thursday evening, and according to agreement they will now all have to die. They promised the Bachelors that they would stick to their agreement, but as no time was specified would take their own time about shuffling off this mortal coil. The Bachelors think that this is rather a mean wav of slipping out of a bargain, but are perforce, colleged to be con-tent. The match was robled on the Bachelors alleys and was watched with great interest by a large number of friends of the contesting teams. Mr. Law on, of the firms wicks, was "night" nam

1.447 Total 1.367 Total The Hachelors are jubilant over their lead of eighty pins. Mr. Soeridan officiated as umpire.

MISFORTUNE FOLLOWS THEM.

Still, the Thirteen Club Says it Is Seldom It

Catches Up. The Thirteen Club, with its thirteen coffins, thirteen candles, thirteen members at each table, thirteen dowers in each bouquet, thirteen courses and thirteen toucts, had its seveny-first monthly dinner at Terrace Garden, Fifty-eighth street, yester-day. It was the thirteenth day of the month, and a Friday in a year with three eights. The club did not turn out in full force last night. A series of unfortunate accidents, directly and indi-rectly connected with the club, had caused members to fall back in the old error members to fall back in the old error of popular superstition regarding the fatal number. Henry C. Bangs, a member, will be buried to-day. Dr. James A. Reed, one of the original thirteen, died recently, and Roscoe Conking, another member, lies very ill.

The building No. 8 West Twenty-eighth street, where the club for a long time sell its meetings, had recently failen and a loss of life was occasioned thereby. Thursday night a lot of debris fell from No. 8 on the roof of No. 6, where the club now meets, destroying the gas connection and compel-

meets, destroying the gos connection and compel-ling the use of candles. ling the use of candles.

Judge McAdam, the worthy Chief Ruler, presided with his usual dignity. John Jay Grimn and R. J. Mo-es had charge of the other tables. Judge McAdam offered resolutions condemning the contractors who had the repairing of 8 West Twenty-eight street in charge. He also made light of the idea that the Thirteen Club had anything to do with the accident. Marvin R. Clark pronounced an eulogy on Dr. James A. Reed. A F-sat to the memory of Henry C. Bangs was drunk in allence, and Capt. William Fowler read re-olutions of sympathy with Roscoe Concling. Dr. Reed's candle was put out and nis char taken away.

JERSEY CITY NEWS.

A Cleaver Confidence Man Just Oot of Sing

Sing, Caught Among Emigrants. William Smith, who says he lives at 30 Bowery, New York, was arraigned before Justice Stilsing this morning as a disorderly person. Special Officer Cayne, of the Inman wharf, saw Smith and another man acting wharf, saw cintum and any suspiciously among emigrants yesterday. When he approached tuem both ran. He caught Smith.

At Police Headquarters Smith was recognized as a clever confidence man just out of

nized as a clever confidence man just out of Sing Sing. He was held until Monday, when emigrants whom he attempted to fleece will be produced.

Raid on a Chinese Laundry. Policeman Keely made a raid last night on the Chinese laundry of Wong Wah, 265, Grove street, and arrested Wong, Ah Sam. On Peter, and Cora Van Tarsel, who is pretty and neatly dressed, and asys she lives with her, husband in Hieceker street, New York. She and Ah Sam were held by Justice stilling this morning.

Jersey City Jo tings. Artemus Benchmen, the brutai canal-boat cap-tain who almost ocat his wife to death, was re-sc-raigned before Justice Stitising this merina, when the injured woman tried to beginn off. Decision

A freight car of the Pennsylvania Railroad came i collision with a horse car at the Hudson street cossing of Montgomery street this morning, but, ortunately, no one was hurt. Fast Pacers for finle. The announcement is made that Mr. Frank Sid-

dail, of Philadelphia, will sell at the Woodard and Harbison sale, to be held at Lexington. Ky., on the fist inst., his three famous pacers, Johnstone, Westmont and Lorene, for which he paid the enor-

Pleasing the Children.

This afternoon Herrmann will hold one of his wonder ul mat nées. This is the last opportunity that the Harlem children will have to see him | erform his startling feats of prestidigitation and legerde main, and many a dustar was coaxed from the puckets of insulicent parents last night for good sears at the Theatre Comique to-d y. The king of witcheraft will give, as is his u usl custom, pressy

ROWE AND "DICK" ROWELL.

First of the Series of Bicycle Races for the World's Championship. LEICESTER, Eng., April 14 .- W. A. Rowe,

of Lynn, Mass., meets to-day, after long and weary negotiations, the well-known English-bicycle champion "Dick" Rowell, for \$2,500 a side and the championship of the world. The race to-day, the first of a series of

three, is for five miles, and will be run at 4 o'clock. No event in connection with cycle interests has ever created the excitement shown here to-day.

The betting is about even, a slight shade of odds on either side being eagerly taken up.

Naturally the Americans think Rowe will

win.

Belgrade track is good cinder, four laps
and even banked.

DR. AGNEW NO BETTER.

Grave Fears That He Will Not Recover

Dr. Delafield issued a bulletin this morning saying that the operation of laparotomy performed upon Dr. Cornelius Agnew yesterday had accomplished all that had been expected. and that the condition of the patient was un-changed since las. evening.

One of the physicians said to-day, however, that he did not think Dr. Agnew would get

Another Theatre for Manager Jacobs.

Manager H. R. Jacobs is not yet satisfied with the number of houses he has, at least so it appears, for he has taken the lease of the Academy o Music in Chicago, having purchased the same from Mr. Dan Shelby on Friday last. He will run the house at popular prices, namely, from 15 cents to 11, with matinees on Wednesdays, Saturdays and Sandays.

Look Out for the "Evening World" Boys.

(From the Press.)
A team of newsboys to Detroit, representing 2,000 newsboys in that city, have issued a sweep ing challenge to the newsboys of Buffalo, Rochester, Syracuse, Albany, Boston, New York, Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Pittaburg, Cincinnati and Cieveland to play a series o ball games for the championship of the United States, which honor the Detroiters claim to hold. The meshoy teams representing the New York Eventre World on the Boston Globe have accepted the challenge. challenge.

A boy employed at the printing-house of Wyncoop & Hallenbeck, No. 48 Ann street, was caught in an elevator this morning. He foot was crushed. The firm refused to live the name of the injure-tory and informed the reporter that no one was An ambulance was called, however, and the boy was put in it and taken to the Chambers Street

Hospitel.
The injured boy was John Argue, age eighteen years, of 77 Second avenue. An Unknown Woman's Death The Coroner was to-day notified of the sudden death in an Eighth avenue car yesterday evening of an unknown woman, apparently about ffry

cears of age. The woman weighed about 250 counds. She carried a hand satched which con-

alned \$2.75 in money, and a loset represent watch pledged on April 2 with Pawneroker Alrenan, at 194 Eighta avenue. It bore the name of Sidding. The body is at the Morgue awaiting Under a Failing Stone. Christian Harlem, a la orer, forty-eight years le, of West Sixty-seventh street, while eigging a

cellar in West forty-clubta street this morning a d

h s right leg broken by a large stone that full upor nim. He was removed to the Roosevelt Hos pital in an unconscious condition. Broke Both Arms in Alighting. Philip V. R. Van Wyck, a lawyer, flity-one years id, of 77 Contre sire et, fell in attempting to from a Sixth avenue car at Fiftieth street and Sixth avenue, last night, and broke both arms. He was taken to the Roosevelt Hospital.

Local News Condensed. Henry Sullivan, a butcher assisting at the Asso-ciation Slaughter-house, Forty-fifth atreet and E at River, suddenly fell this morning with his jett side parayzed. At Fellevue Hospital he was found to be suffering from cerebral hemorrhage,

HE PASSES A FAVORABLE NIGHT AND TAKES

MR. CONKLING IS BETTER.

NOURISHMENT PROPERLY.

Weaker Than He Was Yesterday, but is a More Natural and Rational Condition— Mrs. Conkiling Reassured—Dr. Barker Hopeful—A Letter of Sympathy from the Colored Young Men's Club of Washington.

The early reports from Senator Conkling's rick-room this morning are that he had passed another favorable night, getting rest and taking nourishment properly. When awake he was more natural and rational. Mrs. Conkling, Charles H. Thomas, the

colored expert medical nurse from Rochelle, and Dr. Hartley were with the patient during the night, and were joined by Mrs. Oakman this morning. Between 2 and 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon Mr. Conkling refused his nourishment

and his delirium was more pronounced. Dr. Barker was proportionately discouraged. But during the evening this trouble decreased, and from the time of the doctor's last call at 9.30 o'clock last evening and his 9.30 o'clock call this morning Mr. Conkling improved.

Judge Core was with him until 1 o'clock this morning. He says that Mr. Conkling had become perfectly quiet and natural at

Mr. Melville, of the early comers, reported that Mrs. Conkling was reassured, although the patient was weaker than yesterday, the nourishment taken not being enough to keep up his normal strength. He takes three pints to two quarts of milk in twenty-four hours. Mr. Conkling walked a little in the early morning. He is unable to perform his natural functions without artificial aid, owing to weakness.

weakness.

Dr. Barker said at 10.15 a.m. that he was quite reassured. The bad spell of yesterday afternoon had been succeeded by a more encouraging state of affairs, and he thought that the patient's condition was as satisfactory as could be expected. Mr. Conkling's pulse is at 92; his temperature 100 1-5, and his respiration normal, or 18 to 20.

Dr. Sands dressed the wound. It looked well. The ear and the wound were discharging pus at a gratifying rate, and the patient was better in every way. He was asleep, and the doctors did not disturb him.

Among the callers in this morning's rain were Dr. W. W. Watson, of Washington; Roawell P. Flower, Charles A. Stevens, I. H. Bailey, William Bliss and Henry A. Melwille.

The following letters were received by Mrs. Conkling this morning : Conkling this morning:

124 TENTH STREET, N. W.,

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 12, 1888.

MADAME: The Colored Young Men's Republican
Club, of which your ultustrious and distinguished
husband and our most faithful and sincere friend
is an honored honorary member, unites with unusual expressions of sorrow and sympathy for you
and for him in this sad hour of affliction and trial.

God never gave as a better or truer friend, and
his loss at this time, which heaven forbid, would
be irreparable. Accept the assurances of our deepest sympathy and best wishes for his speedy recovery.

By order of the club.

G. W. FTEWART, President.

John E. Bruce, Corresponding Secretary.

Paris Green for a Little Trouble. Joseph Porter, a plasterer, aged forty years, of East Twenty-fifth street n ght at the East Thirty-fifth street police station. Later Sergt. Fitzgerald and Doorman McNally found him soffering from the effects of Paris green which he had taken in the station-house. He is id he was in a little frouble. Porter di d at Bellevue Hospital the morning. His or ther said there was family trouble, but he coulon't imagine why Joseph should have polsoned himself.

Somebody's Trunk Astray.

A trunk filled with a man's clothing was taken to Police Capt. Ryan's station-house in East Thirtyfith street yesterday. With the clothing was a deed conveying to one Eibert C. Reynolds an or-ange grove in Duval County, Fia. The trunk was tound with a lot of others, new and empty, exposed for sale in front of 658 Taird avenue. How it got there is a mystery.

No "Attorney-General" Here. A paragraph published recently refers to an "Attorney-General" in the Fifth District Civil Court. Justice Goldfowle asks that THE EVENIMO WORLD state that there is no "Attorney-General"

6 Monday's Ruces at Clifton. The programme and entries for the several races at Chitton on Monday are as follows:

First Race. - Purse \$100, for four-year-olds and upward; three-quarters of a mile. 120 Herman 120 Anarchy 8 0), for maiden the 116 Glenting... 113 Aiveda.... Lucy Moore, colt 250, for all ages; selling Red Prince.
Glenbrook.
Souvenir
Belmont.
Amber.
Guinoy

Colder, Fair Weather for Sunday



weather.

-Weather indications: Connecticut Eastern Aem York, carmer; rai ; fresh to risk, and on the exist brisk to high southerty teints, teering to northto-sterly and diminishing in force, followed on

The Weather To-Day. Indicated by Blakely's tele-therm meter: